Docket No.: 069978-0012

## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Zhiqun HE, et al.

Application No.: 10/765,204

Filed: January 28, 2004

Customer Number: 20277

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Group Art Unit: 2616

Examiner: Ian N. Moore

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF ACCESSING AND TRANSMITTING DIFFERENT DATA FRAMES IN A DIGITAL TRANSMISSION NETWORK

## **STATUS INQUIRY**

Mail Stop Status Inquiry Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on January 28, 2004. Since more than three and one-half years have elapsed since that date, and no action has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. It is noted that the Official Gazette indicates applications filed on or before April 18, 2004 in the above assigned Group Art Unit should have received an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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